

Resolution authorizing a settlement to Nicole Williams for a disputed vehicle damage claim due to an auto accident involving Franklin County Veterans Service Commission (Veterans Service Commission) (\$1916.39)

WHEREAS, on January 25, 2011, Franklin County Veterans Service Commission employee, Barry J. Roberts, was involved in an auto accident; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Barry J. Roberts was traveling westbound on E. Fulton Street and was turning into a parking lot on E. Fulton Street when he struck a car owned by Nicole Williams; and

WHEREAS, the car that is owned by Nicole Williams was parked at a parking meter; and

WHEREAS, Franklin County will pay the negotiated property damage settlement in the amount of one thousand nine hundred sixteen and 39/100 dollars (\$1916.39) as allowed by Ohio Revised Code to Nicole Williams for damages to her vehicle in the accident that occurred on January 25, 2011; and Nicole Williams has accepted contingent on approval by the Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the above described settlement fairly compensates Nicole Williams for the damages to her vehicle; and

WHEREAS, there are bodily injury claims arising out of this accident for which settlement has not been reached and which are separate from the property damage settlement involved herein; and

WHEREAS, by agreeing to this settlement, neither employee Barry J. Roberts, the Franklin County Commissioners, nor the Franklin County Veterans Service Commission admits to any negligence or liability arising out of the auto accident; and

WHEREAS, the above described settlement, recommended by Michael G. Fenneman of Rittel, Hill and Zimmerman Adjuster Service, and Franklin County Fleet Management, deems it to be in the best interest of the Franklin County Board of Commissioners and the Franklin County Veterans Service Commission to settle the vehicle claim for one thousand nine hundred sixteen and 39/100 dollars (\$1916.39); and

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO;

1. That the above-referenced settlement in the amount of one thousand nine hundred sixteen and 39/100 dollars (\$1916.39) is in the best interest of the Franklin County Commissioners, Franklin County Veterans Service Commission and the Department of Fleet Management and the same is hereby approved.
2. That upon execution of a full release in favor of the Franklin County Commissioners, Department of Fleet Management and the Franklin County Veterans Service Commission that is satisfactory to the Prosecutor's Office; a warrant be issued payable to Nicole Williams, and forwarded to Rittel, Hill and Zimmerman at 4920 Reed Rd Unit E, Columbus, Oh 43220-3154 as full and final settlement of this matter.
3. The attached Purchase Order in the amount of one thousand nine hundred sixteen and 39/100 dollars (\$1916.39) is hereby approved.

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